GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, MYSORE STATE, BANGALORE.

F.P.B.C. 87-55; dated 19th October 1955.

FINGER PRINT BUREAU

(Mysore State Police)

The following is for the information of all concerned :—

1. The Government of Mysore in their Order No. J. 1651-52-Pol. 198-06-8, dated 2th November 1907 permitted parties concerned in Civil Cases or any of them that desire for Expert opinion from the Finger Print Bureau in the matter of deciphering Finger Impressions and other work of a similar character on payment of fee prescribed.

2. The Government of Mysore have fixed the scales of fee as per Government Order No. HA, 6105-06—Pol. 272-54-2, dated 16th February 1955 for comparison and opinion.

3. Rule 201 of the Civil Rules of Practice, Vol. I, details the fee to be levied in Civil Cases.

(i) Impressions of a single person concerned in one and the same case	..	Rs. 20
(ii) Impressions of more persons than one concerned in one and the same case—		
(1) First person	..	Rs. 20
(2) For each additional person	..	Rs. 10

4. The fee for taking photographs is prescribed in Government Order No. P. 7956-58—Police, 174-47-3, dated 19th March 1948 :—

Quarter size	..	Rs. 5
Half size	..	Rs. 10
Full size	..	Rs. 20

5. The comparison and opinion fee and the Photographic charges should be credited in the Court through which the documents are sent or to a Treasury under Head XXIII—Police Services rendered, and challan forwarded to the Finger Print Bureau.

6. Whenever Photographs are necessary the amount to be deposited will be intimated by the Finger Print Bureau.

7. When the Expert who has furnished the Certificate is required to attend the Court personally his travelling allowance as admissible under M.S.R. should be paid as per Government Order No. J 1651-52—Police, 198-06-8, dated 28th November 1907, in the Court on the date he so appears.

8. The party or his counsel calling the Expert should hand over "A Memo of Instructions" in duplicate to the Court detailing the impressions disputed and admitted and the points on which opinion is required.

9. The memo of instructions in duplicat, the Commission Warrant addressed to the Officer-in-charge, Finger Print Bureau, (Inspector General of Police's Office), Bangalore-2, and the original documents containing the impressions should be forwarded either by registered or insured post, to the Officer-in-charge, Finger Print Bureau.

10. Government Order No. J. 1651-52, Police, 198-06-8, dated 28th November 1907, lays down the Exhibits should be sent to the Bureau at Bangalore for the written opinion of the Expert and Summons for the attendance of the Expert should be issued to the Officer-in-Charge of the Bureau only when the Court is satisfied that such evidence is absolutely necessary for the case.

11. The fee detailed in Government Order No. H.A. 6105-06—Pol. 272-54-2, dated 16th February 1955, will be levied from all Departments of Government other than Police and Anticorruption and Efficiency Audit (G.O. No. M. 18052-4—I.M. 27-51-2, dated 8th January 1952).

12. Government Order No. P. 3267-9—Pol. 87-38-7, dated 23rd December 1938, directs that in Criminal cases the fee of Rs. 10 be levied for each comparison of Finger Prints on requisition from Private Parties in Criminal Cases except the accused person.